

DARKNESS AT NEVSKY PROSPECT.

Terrorists May Begin Reign of Bomb Throwing.

ST. PETERSBURG, January 24 (6:15 p.m.)—The lower section of the Nevsky Prospect, including the Winter Palace district and the quay, where the embassies are located, is in darkness and there has been a resumption of the panicky feeling of yesterday.

Nevertheless, the authorities express increasing confidence that the backbone of the strike is broken and that all the prominent agitators and many extreme liberals have been arrested.

Father Gopon has disappeared and is said to be in Moscow, directing the strike there.

For the moment the men here are without a plan of action and are seemingly commencing to realize that without arms it is folly to resist the troops.

If the strikers are paralyzed, there is general fear that the revolutionists and the terrorists, who are coming to the front, will begin a reign of bomb-throwing and that the Political Exiles' Association, known as the "Illegal Red Cross," will make large contributions.

There is no truth in the report circulating that strikers 30,000 strong are marching upon Kolpino, twenty miles from St. Petersburg, for the purpose of seizing the small arms factory there.

HAYWARDS BONDS SOLD.

OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS IS GIVEN ISSUE BY TRUSTEES.

HAYWARDS. Jan. 24.—The Trustees of Haywards met last evening for the purpose of opening bids for the school bonds, amounting to \$7,000, recently ordered issued by the voters of Haywards in order that Laurel Common School might be improved.

The Oakland Bank of Savings out of six bidders was awarded the issue of bonds, the amount of its bid being \$7,000.

There remains to the bank officials five days in which to examine the sureties.

The other bidders were the Merchants' House of San Leandro; the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Oakland; the Bank of Haywards; the San Francisco Savings Union; and the Nevada Bank of San Francisco.

The election at which a majority of the voters of Haywards decided to issue bonds was held about two months ago.

Wright's Paragon Headache Cure makes a headache look like six carafes. Presto! and the ache is gone. Freedom from headache and neuralgia is yours upon the moment. Besides, that freedom is well worth the price. The secret of your emanation, as WRIGHT'S PARAGON HEADACHE CURE is not on having acquaintance with any injurious ingredient. It is harmless, tasteless, headacheless.

In Tab or Water form. At all druggists, or by mail of its proprietors.

WANT GUNS.

BERLIN, Jan. 24.—The Russian Government has ordered the Ludwig Loewe Arms factory to supply as soon as possible 500 machine guns.

In Tab or Water form. At all druggists, or by mail of its proprietors.

INFERNAL MACHINES AND BIG BOMBS FOR THE CZAR

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"Long live the revolution."

"Long live the constituent assembly of the representatives of the people."

A third proclamation appeals to the people not to attempt to injure private property.

STRINGENT RULES.

General Prince Vasilchikoff, commander of the guards, has not yet announced the stringent rules usually accompanying a state of siege, such as forbidding persons to leave their houses after 10 p.m., without special passes and the extinction of all lights in private quarters after that hour. The authorities evidently are still confident that they have the situation well in hand.

There is no confirmation of the report that the Emperor, the Empress and their children are going to Copenhagen, or on the other hand that the Emperor has decided to appoint a mixed commission of officials, employers and workingmen to consider the strikers' demands, notably the question of eight hours work per day, and to make an investigation of the shooting of the strikers.

MANY RUMORS.

All sorts of rumors are circulating in both official circles and among the workingmen. A curious report spread among the men last night that the Emperor had given in and that three white flags had been placed over the Winter Palace signifying that he had consented to reduce the maximum legal hours of work from eleven to eight. According to this legend, the Emperor would have displayed a red flag if he had decided to refuse the striker's request. Many workingmen, deceived by the rumor, shouted "hurrah" in token of victory and this possibly was the reason that the strikers, believing they had already won the day, refrained from committing excesses yesterday.

FATHER GOPON.

Father Gopon's popularity is unimpaired, but it is already evident that the Social-Democrats are getting the upper hand and that they are encouraging the people to violence. From a trustworthy source it is learned that Father Gopon sent a letter to the Social-Democrats in the following terms:

"They have fired upon and massacred us, but we are not vanquished and the day of our triumph is nigh. Do not spoil our triumph by taking up arms and resorting to violence. Content yourselves with destroying the portraits of him who is no longer worthy to be our Emperor."

This pacific admonition irritated the Social-Democrats and does not meet with a response from the workingmen who apparently are thirsting for vengeance and are clamoring for their leaders to dis-

tribute the arms.

INFERNAL MACHINES.
The revolutionists are also reported to be actively preparing bombs and infernal machines to wreck the post offices and destroy other Government property.

The revolutionists talk wildly of issuing a manifesto, declaring a provisional government. They seem to have broken completely with the Zemstvoists, whom they treat with contempt on account of what they call their "truckling" to autocracy.

Even Prince Trubetskoi who led the reformers of Moscow, is regarded by them with suspicion and even hatred because in an article published by the Pravo he described the revolutionists as a "Port Arthur inside of Russia" which Russia would have to overthrow.

ARRESTS MADE.

M. Hessen, editor of the Pravo, whose advanced liberal views are well known, has been arrested.

The Workingmen's Club has been closed by order of the prefect of police.

Professor Karsavina and Mm. Annenksy and Pechschenonoff, three well known writers, and Town Counselors Kedrin and Schnitnikoff, who are also lawyers, were arrested during the night.

CHILDREN IN SMOKE.

Children in that portion of the building facing Alice and Eleventh streets where the fire was located, were marching by fours through hallways and down stairs to safety, when the flames broke through the woodwork and ceiling, allowing volumes of smoke to hover around the little ones.

Despite this fact there was no panic, the children did not crowd one another, remained in military array and thus avoided trampling each other to death.

In view of the fact that the stairways of the Lincoln School are dark and winding, it is considered by the teachers nothing less than a miracle that some of the little ones were not crushed and injured.

FRANTIC MOTHERS.

News that the Lincoln School was on fire rapidly spread throughout the neighborhood where resided the parents of the children attending the institution.

Frantic mothers and sisters flocked to the scene and rushed from group to group, seeking their own.

Although safe from the burning building nearly all of the smaller children were in tears due to excitement and seeing their school ablaze.

Many of the pupils attempted to rush back into the building to secure their personal belongings, but were prevented from so doing by policemen and teachers guarding the entrances.

FIRE UNDER CONTROL.

Meanwhile, the firemen under the direction of Chief Ball and Fire Warden MacDonald, were pouring water into that portion of the building visited by the flames and soon had the blaze under control.

Then Principal Garlick put a hundred or more of the older boys to work with brooms to sweep the water off the floors to prevent it from damaging the ceilings below. By so doing he saved hundreds of dollars worth of property.

The Board of Education of the City Hall had been notified of the fire, and Superintendent of Schools McClymonds was soon on the scene. To a TRIBUNE reporter he said:

"I didn't do nothing short of a miracle that the children were not killed or maimed, but more than likely their safety is due to the fact that they were perfect in the fire drill and did not forget their teachings when the smoke rolled about them." Accomplished Professor Garlick and his corps of teachers for the able manner in which they had drilled the children.

TEACHER'S STORY.

Mrs. Kottinger, the teacher in whose room the fire started, said:

"We were busily at work just after the morning recess when one of my pupils called attention to the fact that flames were crackling near us. I heard it at the same time and gave the signal for the fire drill. The alarm was not sounding, or pulling and all were out of the building without accident."

Principal Garlick was in the annex when the alarm of fire sounded and he assisted in keeping the children calm.

ATTRACTION TO SCENE.

Hundreds of persons were attracted to the scene by the statement that the Lincoln School was afire and many arrived in time to witness the well drilled children file from the building.

It was 12 o'clock before the fire department left the scene.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Groves' signature is on each box, 25¢.

ALAMEDA WOMAN'S DEATH IS A MYSTERY



MISS MARY MCKEE.

She Told a Stranger That She Was in Trouble—No Poison is Found.

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Jan. 24.—A mysterious death occurred in a Pullman car attached to a Chicago-California Santa Fe train which passed through here. The victim was a woman, possibly 25 or 30 years of age.

Papers indicate her name to be Mary McKee, No. 2251 San Jose avenue, Alameda, Cal. Her ticket reads from Chicago to Los Angeles, and the Pullman conductor and porter say that when she entered the coach she was heavily veiled.

After retiring the first night the woman did not leave her berth. About two hours before the train reached here, the porter heard a moaning sound from her berth and asked if she wanted anything. She replied in the negative. An hour later the porter

found the woman dead in the berth. Although no poison could be found, the theory of suicide is advanced because several pieces of paper were found bearing the address of her own name, in care of Mrs. O. B. Chase of Alameda, and the name of Mrs. A. McNeal, 228 Michigan avenue, Chicago. The body will be held here awaiting orders.

SHE WAS IN TROUBLE.

CHICAGO, January 24.—At the Young Women's Christian Association Home, 288 Michigan avenue, it was said that several days ago Mary McKee was met at a railroad station in Chicago by Mrs. A. McNeal, a "traveler's aid" employed by the association. The stranger said she was on her way to her home in California. She spoke of a trouble in which she was involved.

He suspected that the housewife had gone with Trosch who had, he declared, paid Mrs. Werren marked attention during his stay as a boarder.

AT A SALOON.

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At the present price of common stock, the bond would be a more profitable investment than the share of stock which can be exchanged for each bond at the option of the holder.

By Treadwell—Relating to the appraisement of estates and providing for the appointment of an official in each county of the State.

STATEMENT GOES TO THE DEFENSE

AUBURN, Cal., January 24.—By arrangement of the attorneys, both sides this morning, Judge Prewett ordered that the statement of Adolph Weber made in the sheriff's office on the morning after the fire, be delivered to the defense.

KOVNO, Russia, Jan. 24.—Work has been stopped at all the factories and railroad shops here.

When the wind blows and chaps your lips, face and hands, use Rose and Camphor jelly—it cures all.

ONLY PLACE IN OAKLAND to get the noted Muenchen-Loenenbrau Imported Beer. Yeoman's, 964 Washington street.

IMPEACH JUDGE SWAYNE.

Senators Are Sworn to Bill to Increase Salaries Try the Noted Case.

MORE MONEY FOR JUSTICES

Goes to House.

WASHINGTON, January 24.—At 2 o'clock today the Senate organized as a court of impeachment. Chief Justice Fuller, in his official gown, entered and was escorted to the presiding officers' desk. His presence was announced by Senator Fairbanks, chairman of the committee sent to request him to administer the oath to Senators.

Chairman pro tem Frye and Senator Platt of Connecticut, were first sworn.

The roll of the Senate was called and Senators in groups of ten were presented at the desk and sworn.

Many members of the House were present during the ceremony and the galleries well filled.

As soon as the Senate was organized as a court a resolution was passed, informing the House that the Senate was ready to receive the impeachment managers at the bar of the Senate well filled.

By Atkinson—Requiring boards of election to post at least four copies of precinct registers at voting precincts in San Francisco.

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By McCarthy—Providing for an additional Justice Court in the city of Los Angeles, and increasing the city Justice of Oakland to \$2400 a year.

By McGowan—Increasing the salaries of Justices of the Peace in the city and county of San Francisco to \$3600 a year.

By McCartney—Authorizing boards of supervisors to create an additional Justice Court in a township when public necessity and convenience demand it.

By Devlin—Increasing the salary of the County Controller to \$2700 a year, and authorizing the appointment of a porter at a salary of \$750.

By McCarthy—Increasing the salaries of Supreme Court Justices from \$6000 to \$8000 a year.

SURPRISE FOR THE GUESTS.

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CAUSED BY WIFE'S ACTIONS.

Her Flirtations Made Lem Campbell Insane Say Witnesses.

Worry over the actions of his wife until it caused him to try and forget his sorrow by drinking to excess and finally to destroy the cause of his trouble was the burden of the testimony offered in the trial of Lemuel D. Campbell this morning, charged with the murder of his wife.

Three witnesses were put on this morning all of whom testified to the fact that in his cups he was brooding over his troubles and often spoke of them to one person or another and the effort of Attorney Frick in Campbell's behalf is to show that his mental worry, together with his drinking, finally produced a mental state of emotional insanity where the prisoner became irresponsible for his action.

Testimony in regard to the cause of Campbell's worry was put on yesterday afternoon when J. Fossati, a bartender at the Venetian Gardens on Seventh street, testified to having been accused by Campbell with having been out with his wife and when he confessed to it Campbell knocked him down and gave him a terrible beating. The pair were at that time separated and divorced but notwithstanding this, his wife still pursued him with telephone messages and letters asking him to come back to her and at the same time kept up her flirtations with other men.

Daniel McCarthy, the proprietor of a saloon near the Sixteenth street depot took the stand this morning and testified that Campbell stayed about his place for some time and told him that if his wife ever called him up there to tell her he was not there. In regard to conversations between himself and Campbell about his trouble McCarthy said,

"On one occasion in particular during the recent butcher's strike he spoke to me of his trouble. He was out on strike himself at the time and said to that, between his worrying over his wife and his job, he didn't know what to do. Within the last year or eighteen months he has spoken

WORN OUT? RUN DOWN?

I will gladly give you a full dollar's worth of my remedy to test

Nothing to deposit. Nothing to promise. The dollar bottle is free. Your Druggist on my order, will hand you a full dollar's worth and send me the bill.

Why do we work and worry and excess and strain and over-indulgence break down constitutions and make men and women worn out and run down and restless and sleepless and disengaged and tired. Because they weaken the tiny tendons nerves which life itself depends.

Not the nerves so commonly talked about—not the nerves that govern your movements and your thoughts.

But the automatic nerves that, unguided and unknown, night and day, keep your heart in motion—control the digestive apparatus—regulate your liver—operate your kidneys.

These are the nerves that worry wears out and work breaks down.

It does no good to fight the ailing organ—the heart, and another the liver—the rebellious stomach—the devoured kidneys. They are not to blame. But goes back to the nerves that control them.

There you will find the seat of the trouble. It is no good to take stimulants and narcotics, or tonics, at best, is but a temporary effect which merely postpones the day of reckoning.

There is nothing new about this—noting any physical would dispute. But it remained for Dr. Shoop to apply this knowledge to put it to practical use.

Dr. Shoop's Restorative is the result of a quarter century of endeavor along this very line. It does not dose the organ or deaden the pain—but it does go at once to the nerves which are the true source of nervousness—and builds it up, and strengthens it and makes it well. That is the end of all vital troubles. That is the end of sleepless nights and restless days. That is the end of nervousness, the end of pain.

If you are worn out, run down and have never tried my remedy, merely write and ask. I will send you an order on your druggist, which he will accept as gladly as he could give a dollar. It will bring you from his shelves standard sized bottle of my prescription, and he will send the bill to me. This offer is made only to strangers to my remedy. Those who have once used the Restorative do not buy any other. There are no conditions—no requirements. It is on the test of my limitless belief. All that I ask you to do is to write—write today.

For a free or-
Book 1 on Diabetes
Book 2 on the Heart
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Book 4 for Women.
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atic Disease.

Mild cases are often cured by a single bottle. For sale at forty thousand drug stores.

EDWARD BREMILLER, Napa.....\$1
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GEORGE KENNEDY, Oakland.....\$12
ETHEL HUBERT, Oakland.....\$11
MILTON A. STOCKDALE, Auburn.....over \$1
IANTHIA J. WHITE, San Francisco.....over\$18
ROY S. CAMPBELL, San Jose.....over \$1
MINNIE M. GOUDIE, Mason City, Iowa
over\$18

DEATH OF MRS. VIERA.

Mrs. Minnie Viera, aged 51 years, died yesterday at her residence, on Beemer street in Fruitvale. She was a native of Portugal. She leaves a husband and several children.

ACCUSED OF MANY CRIMES.

Johann Hoch is Charged With Killing His Wives For Money.

CHICAGO, January 24.—Information of more alleged victims of the supposed Blue Beard, Johann Hoch, has been given the police by John Frick, an employee of the Nickel Plate railroad. Frick has reported to the police a charge that his sister, Mrs. William Schultz, married Hoch, who then called himself Albert Muschburg, at Argos, Ind., in 1900. Mrs. Schultz had a child named Nettie, then five years of age.

"Shortly after they arrived in Chicago, letters ceased coming to me," said Frick, "and I am under the belief that my sister and her little girl were done away with. My sister had about \$1,500 at the time of her marriage."

Mrs. H. J. Schwartzman of Milwaukee, telephoned the police that she would arrive here today for the purpose of trying to identify a photograph of Hoch as the man who married her sister in 1898. The woman died shortly afterwards, leaving \$1,800 to her husband.

Relatives of six of the thirteen wives eradicated in Hoch have expressed a belief to Police Inspector Slippy that the six women died from poison. The list of dead and missing is as follows:

Mrs. Marie Walker Hoch, died January 1, 1898.
Mrs. Mary Steinbecker, died 1894.
Mrs. Mary Becker, St. Louis, died 1902.
Mrs. Lena Schultz, Argus, Ind., died 1900. Child also disappeared.
Mrs. Lena Hoch, Milwaukee.
Mrs. Sophia Hoch, Milwaukee.

CANDIDATE LOSES HIS VOTES.

THREE SUPPORTERS OF THOMAS NIEDRICHHAUS LEAVE HIM.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 24.—In joint session to-day Thomas K. Niedringhaus, the Republican caucus nominee for United States Senator, lost three votes, which are given to R. C. Kerens. The ballot stood:

Niedringhaus, 75; Cockrell, 81; Kerens, 12; Goodrich, 1. Necessary to elect, 88.

The next ballot showed no change, and adjournment was taken until noon. G. E. Smith, of the Missouri Citizen, received one vote, that of a Kerens man. He was not allowed to speak at yesterday's meeting of the Republican State Committee. Several absences were paired.

To-day's blow at Niedringhaus was the most serious yet received, and the belief was expressed that he could not now win.

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CONTEST IS BEGUN OVER WILL OF THE LATE CAPITALIST.

specially Mrs. Levy, had been kinder to me and rendered me more service." Mrs. Dunn was apologetic about this.

Mrs. Dunn and John H. Yoell were cut off entirely because in the words of the testator, "they were advanced more than their share during my life."

FIGURING ON THE TAX RATE

[Special to THE TRIBUNE.]

SACRAMENTO, January 24.—Senator Belshaw made a rough estimate of what the tax-rate would have to be fixed at this year so as to provide money for the running of the state for the next two years. The estimate was based upon the total amount of single appropriation bills which have thus far been introduced into both Houses of the Legislature. The conclusion he reached was that the tax-rate would have to be 61 cents or more.

The total amount of appropriation bills introduced up to last Saturday night was \$2,700,835. This does not include duplicate bills which had found their way into both Houses. To meet the Controller's estimate of expenses, there would have to be a rate of 46 cents on last year's valuation of property. It was estimated that a rate of one cent would raise \$150,000 and on this basis, the total rate would be 61 cents.

Of course, there are more appropriation bills to be introduced and there is no doubt that some of the appropriation measures now before the Legislature will fail to receive the approval of the Governor. At all events this is the outlook at the present time.

Brown valenciennes is right in keeping with the modes and very handsome in a whole gown fashioned thereof.

THE WILLY OF LATE CAPITALIST. Alexander Yoell was twice married and the heirs by the first wife occupied one part of the court-room, while the progeny of the second, Mr. Yoell, sat at the counsel table in the front.

J. Alexander Yoell died last July at the age of 76. By his first wife he was the father of three daughters, Mrs. Evaline Anna Levy, Mrs. Caroline Belshaw, and Miss Alice Yoell. By the second wife there were seven children, four daughters and three sons, namely, Mrs. Emily F. Dunn, Misses Gertrude Ellen and Beatrice Ethel Yoell of this city, Mrs. Mary Genevieve Parmentier of Hoboken, John H. Yoell of this city, and William A. and Herbert A. Yoell of New York.

The contest of the will is instituted by Gertrude and Beatrice Yoell and Mrs. Emily Dunn, who were in court yesterday, together with Mr. Parker, who has come here from Honolulu to uphold her sisters' contention, that at the time of the execution of the will in January, 1904, their father was unduly influenced and was insane.

The contestants have been separated from his second wife, Prior to the separation he had made provision for her and hence did not bequeath her any of his estate.

Although an estate valued at \$250,000 was left, the children of the widow were cut off with legacies of \$500 each, the bulk of the estate given to Mrs. Emily A. Levy, Mrs. Nettie Theobald and Alice Yoell, because, as expressed by the testator, "the children of his first wife, es-

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MUSICAL AFFAIR PLANNED FOR WEDNESDAY.

MRS. SHIELS WILL ENTERTAIN AT HER HOME—INFORMAL DINNERS AND DANCES.

Mrs. Olivia Reed Cushman has returned from New York and plans to make her home here. She will spend the winter with her father, Charles Reed, at the home on Filbert street. Mrs. Cushman is well known in the musical world and her friends will learn with pleasure that she has announced a series of informal musicals.

The first of the series will take place tomorrow afternoon, and about forty guests will be invited. The hours are from 3 until 5 and an interesting program will be arranged. Guests will contribute solo voices and the group of singers who will assist will include Mrs. Ernest H. Hueter, Mrs. John R. Hunter, Miss Rita Schlesinger, Mrs. John D. Sibley, Mrs. George H. Perry will be the accompanists.

The ticket list for Wednesday includes Mrs. Elizabeth Barstow, Mrs. Joseph Girardelli, Mrs. Thomas C. Mayon, Mrs. De Pea Rickey, Mrs. John R. Hunter, Mrs. Elizabeth Winsor, Mrs. Elmer Reed, Mrs. Henry C. Swett, Miss Leslie Danforth, Mrs. Helen Cushman, Miss Alex Stewart, Miss Mollie Conners, Mrs. George Perry, Miss Mabel Hill, Mrs. A. W. Bishop, Mrs. Alice S. Danforth, Mrs. A. K. Knobell, Mrs. William Buckingham, Mrs. W. H. Hawley, Miss Jean Howard, Miss Pearl Knox, Miss Bertha Knox, Dr. Myra Knox, Mrs. F. S. Crawford, Miss Gertrude Hibberd.

The receiving party for the evening will consist of Mrs. Charles E. Sibley, Mr. Wiley, Mrs. George K. Shaw, Miss Eva Powell, Miss Jennie Hill, Miss Carrie Gorrell, Miss Addie Gorrell, Mrs. T. C. Coogan, Miss Elizabeth Scopham, Mrs. Everett Arms, Mrs. Oscar King, Mrs. R. A. Ferry, Mrs. B. S. Hubbard, Mrs. Gilbert Curtis, Mrs. William L. Oliver, Mrs. C. Chapman, Mrs. H. C. Capwell, Mrs. E. C. Schlesinger, Mrs. E. D. Yorker, Mrs. F. P. Cutting, Mrs. G. C. Cummings, Miss Anna Grindstaff, Mrs. Alice Mary C. Heaton, Miss Charlotte Plater, Mrs. J. T. Vane, Mrs. Murray Williamson, Mrs. T. G. Harrison, Mrs. A. W. Partain, Mrs. C. D. Vincent, Mrs. Franklin Bangs, Mrs. W. J. Wilcox.

INFORMAL DINNER.

Miss Marguerite Butters will entertain a number of young friends on Thursday evening at a dinner planned for them.

Miss Paula Wolff, whose engagement to William Humphreys was announced a short time ago, will follow the dinner.

Among the guests will be Miss Wolff, Miss Dorothy Gandy, Miss Natalie Morris, William Humphreys, Capt. Wolf, Thomas Robinson and Lieutenant Thomas Selfridge, U. S. A.

EVENING AFFAIR.

Mrs. Moylan C. Fox and her daughter, Miss Jessie Fox, have sent out cards for an elaborate exhibition to be given

Thursday evening, February 9, at their home, 1220 Jackson street.

Among the guests will be Miss Wolff, Miss Dorothy Gandy, Miss Natalie Morris, William Humphreys, Capt. Wolf, Thomas Robinson and Lieutenant Thomas Selfridge, U. S. A.

WHIST TOURNAMENT.

'East Oak and Lodge,' No. 345, of the Fraternal Brotherhood, will hold a whist tournament this evening at the hall corner of Thirteenth avenue and East Sixteenth street. Prizes are offered

for the best scores and the hall will accommodate over 200 people.

The committee includes J. H. Eggers, chairman, Mrs. E. J. Conche, Miss Mayme Sheureux and Messrs. Glaze and Craft.

The scoring and Misses Mayme Lehoure, Josie Johnson, Mrs. Nellie Miller, Annie Wilson, Mrs. Lind and Mrs. E. Conche. After the whist tournament the floor will be cleared for dancing.

AT DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wellby entered a dozen friends Saturday evening at an elaborate dinner. The table was decorated with flowers, cutlery and streamers in pink satin ribbon.

After dinner an hour was spent over a game of whist, the prizes going to Mrs. Henry Bul and Asa Mendenhall.

When she'd gone, Stahl put the rubber nose from the gas jet in his mouth and turned on the gas. Once again condition he was unable to hold the tube in his mouth. He was found unconscious a little later by E. W. Hart, an employee of the Wardrobe Renovating Company, of 563 Thirteenth street, who had called at the house to get some clothing. Hart removed him to Foothills Hospital. He will probably recover.

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VANDERBILT IS INJURED

NEW YORK, Jan. 24.—Alfred G. Vanderbilt is suffering from a badly wrenching ankle as a result of a fall while horseback riding, and it is possible that he will be confined to his home for several days. The accident occurred at the riding club, West Fifteenth street, after a military drill, when Mr. Vanderbilt's horse stumbled and fell, pinning his rider's left leg under him.

UNION PETITIONS BOARD.

CARPENTERS WANT INSPECTORS APPOINTED FOR SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

A committee of two, H. D. Lewis and J. W. Munter, from Local 1667 of the Carpenters' Union, was present at the meeting of the Board of Education last night. They presented a petition from the union desiring that the inspectors of the proposed school buildings should be appointed by the board, and not by the

architects. The reason is that in case of

friction between the builder and architect, the inspector would side with the architect, it appointed him, and work would stop in the meantime.

On account of the absence of a majority of the committee on school buildings and sites, three of the eight members present voted against the motion in order to defer it until the next meeting.

For the moment, the affirmative

and the measure failed by one vote, there

being eleven members on the board.

A called meeting to consider the exact

matter will be held soon, although the exact

date has not yet been set.

ORGANIZER VISITS.

G. K. Smith, state organizer of the California Federation of Labor, as well

as president of the Oakland Barbers' Union, Local 134, made a trip across the bay last night to visit the San Francisco barbers. His errand was to urge

the San Francisco barbers to affiliate with the International Federation.

He made a short and eloquent speech which was well received.

He was accompanied by three other

members of the Oakland local, Vice-President Rios, Secretary Litzenstein, and Manuel Gusta.

OPPOSE OPEN SHOP.

The members of the Cooks' and Waiters' Alliance, No. 31, will meet tonight

and make preparations to meet the inaug

ration of the Citizens' Alliance, the dec

laration of open shop by the restauran

keepers. They have kept their policy

a profound secret, and will probably con

clude a statement to the Federated

Waiters' and Cooks' Federations.

They will also oppose the

measure to prohibit the restaurant men

from working on the open shop.

TEAMSTERS MEET.

Local 577 of the teamsters held a meet

ing last night. There was one initiation.

Three applications were received.

After the meeting the routine

business of the local was transacted.

The business agent, William Green,

and the business manager, Frank

Wright, were present.

Teamsters' meetings are held every

Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Paper of Interest to Oakland Residents.

One of the best known newspapers

in the South is the "Guide" of Dunn,

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the interest of those who suffer the

torture of that terrible disease, ca-

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Russian Troubles Help Japan.

It is fortunate for Kuropatkin at the present moment that the stern severity of winter in Manchuria renders field operations on a large scale impossible, else he would doubtless be compelled to make a supreme effort to hold his ground. If it were possible for him to assume offensive operations, Oyama, freshly reinforced and enormously strengthened in artillery, would probably hurl his hitherto invincible legions on the Russian army at a moment when it could look for no assistance from St. Petersburg. A defeat under the circumstances would be doubly disastrous—it would add to the demoralization at home and increase the hopelessness of the outlook at the seat of war.

But when the story of the St. Petersburg massacre spreads among Kuropatkin's army, it is likely to multiply his embarrassments. His soldiers may not be so ready to fight a foreign foe when their kindred are being shot down by the Czar's order at home.

In any event the uprising in the great cities of the Empire will be an aid to the Japanese. It prevents troops and supplies being forwarded to Kuropatkin for one thing, and intensifies the popular desire for peace among all classes. More than that, the infuriated rioters have destroyed many millions worth of valuable government property. The destruction of the admiralty works at St. Petersburg is a particularly severe loss because it follows so closely on the heels of the destruction of the naval arsenal at Sebastopol. Disaffection is rife in the army and navy, hence every storehouse of arms and ammunition is in danger from within as well as from without. The insurrectionaries are burning and destroying everything they can lay their hands on while futile treason is watching its opportunity on every hand to strike a blow against the hated tyranny which passes for government in the Moscovite Empire.

The insurrection may be put down—probably will be for the moment—but a staggering blow has been struck at the Czar's throne. As Maxim Gorky, the Russian novelist says, the awful proceedings of Sunday and Monday have accomplished what years of propaganda could not accomplish. The confidence in the Czar—the strongest article in the faith of the common people—has been destroyed. This has been supplemented by a vast destruction of property which costs immense sums and cannot be replaced at once. Public buildings are being burned and railways torn up. For the moment the government with an army at its command finds it impossible to maintain order or enforce its authority in the imperial capital.

Secure in the loyalty of his faithful subjects, to whom he has granted constitutional government and the benefits of free education, the Mikado can contemplate the horror and riot in the Czar's capital if not with satisfaction at least with equanimity.

If the Legislature can devise no other method of increasing the State's revenue than by imposing a stamp tax, it had better pass the buck to a succeeding Legislature. No matter what arguments may be advanced in favor of a stamp tax, the people will not submit to that form of taxation. It has always been obnoxious and always will be. It keeps forever in the mind the idea of paying taxes. It causes annoyances innumerable in the ordinary course of business, and provokes profanity and opposition at every turn. Stamps always advertise the amount the consumer has to pay on any given article. They flaunt the burdens of government in the face of the public in a most offensive way. The people have never submitted with patience to a national stamp tax save in the heat of war time, when patriotic sentiment was at its height—in time of peace they have always revolted at it. The history of Federal stamp taxation should be a warning to the Legislators at Sacramento.

We should like to know where the Los Angeles Herald got the interesting information that the normal rainfall for San Francisco in a season is seven inches. Twenty-seven inches is nearer the mark.

The Nevada Miner-Transcript suggests calling that portion of the State north of Tehachapi Alta California. The term applies to the whole State of California in contradistinction to the peninsula or Baja California, which is a portion of the Mexican State of Sonora. A deal of confusion would result from applying a term that would be misleading to a portion of the State. Alta California is all California, including Skipper Craig and all the other red-headed Redlanders and salamanders of "South California."

A Sacramento correspondent predicts that the Senate will kill the Yosemite recession bill and that the Assembly will put a quietus on the bill making an appropriation to erect a hotel in the valley. This would be equivalent to cutting the dog's tail off because he had been shorn of his ears.

Rev. E. E. Baker, of Oakland, has been tickling the funny bone of the Sacramentans by a humorous dissertation on "The Blues." His remarks are a little beyond us. If he would confine himself to the whites, or the reds, even, he would have most of us sized up better.

Europe's Industrial Depression.

The great labor strikes in Germany and Russia coupled with the stories of hard times coming from Great Britain, Austria and Belgium are ominous. While this country is riding on a high tide of industrial prosperity the chief industrial nations of Europe are suffering from a severe depression. France alone appears to be enjoying fairly prosperous conditions. Every time there has been a serious depression in the United States it has been preceded by a similar depression abroad. The panic which visited this country in 1893 began with a financial storm in Argentina which leveled all before it and carried down the great banking house of Baring Brothers, one of the pillars of British finance. Thence the panic swept over Australia and India and came from the Orient to Europe, appearing last in the United States and Canada. To-day the three political divisions of North America, the United States, the Dominion of Canada and Mexico, are more prosperous than any three countries in Europe; South America, Argentina and Brazil are also prosperous. But if a financial panic should break in the Old World, no one can tell where it would stop, though the United States are in a far stronger position industrially and financially than ten years ago and will never again be so dependent financially on Europe. The same may be said of Canada, Mexico, Argentina and Brazil. Consequently there is no such danger to this country in a European panic as there was in 1893.

Governor La Follette has at last gained the prize for which he has so long battled. He is to get a seat in the Senate. It was his defeat for the Senate years ago, as he claims, by the influence of the railroads that precipitated the fierce factional contest in the Republican party of Wisconsin from which La Follette has emerged victor after a series of conflicts which threatened a permanent breach in the party. La Follette will succeed Senator Quarles, and will have for his colleague, Senator Spooner, who took the stump against him in the recent campaign. La Follette is an ardent supporter of the President's plan for regulating the railways while Spooner is regarded as being partial to the railroad interests.

Grand Duke Sergius, uncle and brother-in-law to the Czar, sneers at the demands of the Russian people for a constitution. Sergius still retains his position as Governor of Moscow, although M. Moro-

zoff, the great Russian manufacturer, recently exposed him to the Czar as what in this country is vulgarly termed a grafter. M. Morozoff gave a large quantity of cloth from his mills to the Grand Duke's relief fund for the wounded in Manchurian hospitals. Instead of being forwarded to the army, this cloth was openly sold in the streets of Moscow. When Sergius attempted to use pressure to induce Morozoff to make more contributions, the latter rebelled and laid the facts before the Czar.

The San Bernardino Times-Index tells of the Sheriff down there finding four hobos in a hay barn. Perhaps the unfortunate were seeking a square meal after vainly tackling the so-called restaurants which flourish in the San Berdoon country. Hay is a welcome change after twenty-four hours feeding in the eating houses of that locality.

STATE UNIVERSITY AFFAIRS.

The next subject of investigation has no scandal connected with it, but, nevertheless, it will attract considerable attention before it is over. It is the management of the State University and the responsibility for the defalcation of the secretary. It has been a matter of discussion among the groups that make their headquarters around the lobby of the hotels when the Legislature is about to meet. Some of the Southern members are also anxious to have the management of the University investigated. The stories which have gone South, they say, tell of gambling in the halls of the building, of carousals and of many other acts and deeds which do not comport with a decent behavior on the part of students. One of the members remarked to me the other day that there seemed to be an unnecessary large number of students mixed up in divorce suits, and while their denial of the charges might satisfy President Wheeler, they evidently had not satisfied the courts. The revolts against authority, the rows with professors, and the general conduct of the students is not satisfactory to many people of the State. If it can be arranged, a committee will visit the university and inquire into the stories that have been floating all over the State of insubordination and other delinquencies.—Sacramento Correspondence Stockton Record.

AFFAIRS AT SAN QUENTIN.

Though the investigations of the Napa Asylum and the State University were the only two investigations that it was reported that the members of the Legislature had positively decided upon, there were several others that were referred to and that not unlikely will be undertaken. There have been for some time rumors in this city that things are not as they should be at San Quentin. The papers have contained stories of insubordination, of suppressed outbreaks and of trouble. It is charged that the warden has not proven a success and that his removal is contemplated. It appears that he had a theory that men who had served in the army would make ideal guards, and that although their appointment in many cases was illegal, since they were not citizens of California, and only citizens are eligible, yet, ignoring the law, he has made the appointments, with the very poorest results. The men knew nothing of their duties, and while they probably were brave enough, they, in many cases, sympathized with the prisoners and helped them to violate the laws. When the present warden was appointed the prison was in good shape. The former warden, Martin Aguirre, had stamped out the opium smuggling and had taught the prisoners that no interference with the guards or insubordination of any kind, would be permitted. Consequently, none was attempted. The present warden's appointment was due entirely to political influences, and it is known that the Governor was very much opposed to it. It is more than surmised that he would view with favor any investigation that would give him an opportunity to make a change. It is, therefore, presumed that if the Legislature should see fit to investigate, the result would be welcomed by Governor Pardee.—Sacramento Correspondence Stockton Record.

CHIPS FROM OTHER BLOCKS

No less a personage than General Kuropatkin is responsible for the following important weather bulletin from Manchuria: "It is now cold during the night time; but warmer during the day."—York Dispatch.

The victims of the Humbert swindle in Paris get 2 cents on the dollar. Mrs. Chadwick did her work more thoroughly. America still leads.—Providence Journal.

The Japanese are giving evidence of their sincerity in advocating an open door in China by opening the door and fairly flooding the country with Japanese products.—Sacramento Union.

Russia is having lots of trouble with a strike at home, but it doesn't hurt so bad as when Stoessel struck his colors at Port Arthur.—Bakersfield Californian.

A Rhode Island girl who loves a man of the name of Bumgardiner refuses to be his wife until he gets the Legislature to relieve him of the "Bum." Here again we see the far-reaching influence of slang.—Chicago Record-Herald.

The Czar prays God to enlighten the minds of his people. That's what God is doing. We trust the Czar's turn will come next.—Memphis News.

A physician in Kalamazoo found a pin in the appendix of one of his fair patients. Queer creatures, these women! Now a man usually keeps pins under the lapel of his coat.—Grand Rapids Herald.

"Helen Mathers," the English writer, who is over here, says she likes the American women immensely. So do we.—Boston Globe.

SOME PASSING JESTS.

"I understand," began the large, scrappy-looking ward politician, "dat youse had a piece in your paper callin' me a thief."

"You have been misinformed, sir," said the editor calmly. "This paper publishes only news."—Cleveland Leader.

Snappe—Yes; I believe I did say you were always lying about yourself.

Bragg—Sir, I am not accustomed to that kind of talk. I'm a gentleman, sir.

Snappe—There you are again.—London Tit-Bits.

"No work," said the man, gloomily, "and not a thing in the house to eat. What shall we do?"

"There is nothing for us to do," replied his wife, "but to take in boarders.—Judge."

He (reading about the latest society wedding)—They have a lot to say about what the bride wears, but they have nothing to say about the poor bridegroom.

She—They don't have to, because it is a well-known fact that he usually wears a worried look.—Boston Globe.

Willie—Mamma, I think I like God better than I do "papa."

Mrs. Slimson—Why, Willie?

Willie—Well, papa punishes me a great deal quicker than God does.—Collier's.

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Every girl who goes out needs one of those pretty knit jackets or sweaters.

At recent English church weddings the bridesmaids have been gowned in cloth.

Pale pink and white camellias, with their glossy leaves, make enviable hair ornaments.

Might as well step right out of the race as not to get one of the much-talked-of redingotes.

Fichus, jabots and all the small lace trifolies are necessary to the present scheme of dress.

In Paris they are wearing jackets of satin in a shade darker than the pale cloth gowns over which they are donned.

Women who have a small fortune to spend on an opera scarf will like those beautiful imported Egyptian veils.

A jeweled dandelion ball or "clock" for the hair is lovely.

Both the debutante and the dowager are wearing Brussels net.

It is a fad to suspend the jeweled locket on a black moire ribbon.

A novel mousquetaire glove is banded with a dainty bracelet of embroidered kid.

Most women would cheerfully squander a fortune on those pale suede embroidered gloves.

All is not ermine that looks white and black. Maybe it's rabbit or just homely weasel.

Embroidered satins are seen in small numbers and their popularity is likely to increase.

The latest wrinkle in evening wraps is a fluffy mass of lace and chiffon combining cape and hood and long front ends.

From the economical point of view, brocade, in black satin or velvet, makes one of the most desirable garments that a woman can have.

Some from near-by rural districts descend upon the shopping centers in enough wrappings and furs to suggest a cross between Kris Kringle and an Eskimo.

GEN. SHERMAN'S LETTER FORTY YEARS UNDELIVERED.

(Hartford, Conn., Telegram to the Philadelphia North American.)

In a few days Gen. O. O. Howard will receive at his home in Burlington, Vt., a letter written to him nearly forty years ago by Gen. W. T. Sherman.

Gen. Howard never saw the letter until last Friday, when he came here to lecture at Trinity College. He was made aware of its existence by Horace B. Austin, who called on the General and showed him the letter, which has been hanging in a frame in Mr. Austin's house for years.

The letter is dated May 20, 1865, at Gen. Sherman's headquarters, in camp Alexander, Va., and requests Gen. Howard to ride with the writer at the head of the column of troops in the grand review at Washington on May 24.

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The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris is that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. It will, however, be best for you to take that great remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee of Vanier, Tenn. "I had a cough for fourteen years. Nothing helped me until I took King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which gave instant relief and effected a permanent cure." Unqualified quick cure for Throat and Lung Troubles. At Oregon's drug stores, Seventh and Market, and Twelfth and Washington; price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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It's a matter of days now and not very many of them either. You know just how unaccommodating the weather has been since the new year dawned. It has not conduced to extensive shopping.

Ladies' Up-to-Date Suits

\$6.95

This is a selection of good suits that when the season opened were marked \$15, some even higher. Materials are mostly popular mixtures, with a few black, blues and browns. Styles are varied, including single and double-breasted blouses; some with coats 25 and 27 inches long. So it happens that some of the very best offerings are here yet—last truly, but not, by any means least. The details of each suit sustain their claim to be of this season's styles. There are not more than sixty of these suits, so it is advisable that you come early.

Walking Skirt Special

\$2.95

About one hundred of them—and each is worth \$6.00. Made of good, all-wool mixtures; strictly tailored, dark blue, olive, gray and Oxford, neatly plaited, some with full flare. This is one of the best offerings of this entire sale.

\$2.00 and \$2.50

Corsets

Special \$1.00

These are genuine "R. & G." Corsets; broken lines, but the right size in one lot or another; no need to say anything of the merits of these corsets—they're guaranteed.

Wrapper Flannel
7½c yd

About 75 pieces of the best patterns in light and dark grounds; fleece-backed; new figures and stripes; regular 10c and 12½c value.

\$1.00 Dress Goods
69c yd

A fine showing of novelty zibeline effects in gray, brown, dark green and dark red grounds, with white dots; 46 ins. wide.

Also a novelty Highland Suiting, 44 inches wide; all-wool in blue, gray, brown and green mixtures; genuine 85c value—Special at 50c—and there are many other specials of equal merit.

Children's White Dresses

Some Good Specials

This is a collection of broken lines in Mother Hubbard and French styles; they are made of white lawn and at present there is a good choice of styles. Mother Hubbards, sizes 6 months to 1 year; Special at . . . 65c, 95c, to \$2.50. French styles; sizes 2 to 5 years—Special 65c and up to \$2.50.

Ribbon Special

10c yd

A regular 25c value, 4 inches wide, all shades, with fancy cording and figures; a big variety now, but the offer is unusually tempting, so don't wait.

Hosiery Special

Extraordinary values

3 pairs for 25c

Ladies' and Misses' fast black cotton hose with finished seams.

Misses' lisle thread lace hose, sizes 6 to 7½, good wearing footwear—these qualities often sold at 25c pair.

Handkerchief Specials

Among others will mention at this time: Two lots that just show they have been in the window, but they're none the worse for it.

50c values Special 35c
25c values Special 19c

A mixed lot of good handkerchiefs; some with colored borders, others all white, some hemstitched, some plain, others with a touch of lace—Special 50c

Children's and Misses' Felt Hats

One good lot is neatly trimmed with ribbon and gilt buttons; great for school wear—Special at 50c—squarely worth double.

Another lot is marked—Special 25c—and they are worth fifty cents.

The colors are reds, browns, greens, blues and tans, and there are plenty to choose from.

does not differ materially from that contained in the Associated Press dispatches.

EASTERN TEMPERATURES.

CHICAGO, January 24.—Temperature at 7 a.m.; New York, 22; Boston 8; Philadelphia 4; Washington 28; Chicago 12; Minneapolis 14 below; Cincinnati 30; St. Louis 30.

ST. PAUL WEATHER.

ST. PAUL, January 24.—The temperature in St. Paul today was 16 degrees below zero. This was the warmest spot in the Northwest.

A PROMINENT

Lawyer Praised Vinol.

The Owl Drug Co. state they are continually receiving such letters as the following in regard to their famous cod liver oil preparation:

Mr. John Kinney of 812 West 23rd St., Indianapolis, Ind., one of the most noted lawyers of the State of Indiana, writes:

"The Grippe left me in a nervous, weak, run-down condition, took Vinol

and I am well again."

His request was granted. There are more than 160 cases to be tried. Both departments are open to the public.

The courts are crowded with cases and there is no possibility of trying them within

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Said Mr. Parker of the Owl Drug Co.: "I had no equals Vinol to re-

lieve in, and when I had the grippe

before Saturday I will have an opinion

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INSTRUMENT.ASCOT HANDICAP
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COIN AT PELHAM'S
DEFEAT.

In the opening event on the local track yesterday, Jockey Davis had the leg up on Sol Lichtenstein, the 13 to 1 favorite, and he was beaten out by Instrument, also 8 to 1 choice. The members of the California Jockey Club band all blew themselves on Instrument. Sam Greenfield finished third with Lady Kent. Davis' mount was caught in a jam at the home stretch, losing about three lengths.

The Reprobate at events got a set back yesterday, having won two straight events. Edrodun at last got first position with David Boland third.

In the last event the defeat of Pelham by Sabable lost a barrel of money to the talent of the little pocket god, "Hornbeam's" colt, but the training was the worst, going all the way and further, he was bumped by Squire Johnson at the start.

Following were the results of the half-dozen races:

- First race, six furlongs—Instrument, \$100; Sol Lichtenstein 1st to 5, second; Lady Kent, 2nd.
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- Second race, five and one-half furlongs—Edrodun, 8, won; The Reprobate, even, second; David Boland, 7 to 6, third. The other starters were Iron King, San Jose, Angelica, scratched; Gallopoff, My Order, time 1:04 1/2.
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This advertisement will be accepted for one-half of the first payment on a watch, and six of these advertisements, with 75 cents, will be accepted for each dollar of the weekly payment until the watch is paid for. By using these advertisements, you can buy a watch in the OAKLAND TRIBUNE, you can purchase on easy payments, for less than CASH.

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HYLAND DOESN'T HIT
LIKE AN AMATEUR.Dick's Trainer Has to
Wear a Rib
Protector.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 24.—Weights for the Ascot handicap, for three-year-olds and upwards, \$2,000 added, one mile and a quarter, to be run Saturday, January 28th, follows:

Claude 130, Leonidas 118, Schoolmate 114, Foothill 111, Oxford 110, Shirley C. Love 110, Elliott 110, Horatio 107, Paradise 105, Bragg 105, Elwood 105, Reuter 105, High Chancellor 103, Bonaparte 102, Arcane 100, Modicum 100, Divina 100, Rockaway 100, Flower King 100, Ethylene 97, Flobob 98, Luckett 97, Cigar Shifter 97, Old Channel 96, Old Master 96, Old Master 95, Nitro 95, Duke 95, Show 95, Tocata 95, Gorgone 95, Little Wall 95, Poncasta 95, Line of Life 92, Kohala 92, Watercure 90, Misfortune 90, Borghese 90, Hooligan 90, Bugle Horn 90, Whoa 90, Gran 90, Discus 90, Los Angeles 90, Milton Young 90, Freesias 90.

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Ned White has been selected to captain the senior team while Joe Biss will serve in that position for the Juniors. Ned and Harry will captain for the sophomores and freshmen respectively. The choice of Biss for the Juniors effectively discredits all rumors to the effect that he has been disqualified in his studies.

Four candidates are to meet Trainer Christie and Captain Heitmueller at the training quarters today, at 4 p. m., to outline the season's policy. Though nothing has been definitely settled, the men will be in full training by Friday.

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"FIGHTING RICHARD" HYLAND.

CLAUDE IS ASKED TO CARRY 130 POUNDS; LEONIDAS, 118.

Watching "Fighting Dick" Hyland work out near the Cliff House, one would never think that the little boy is about to engage in his first professional pugilistic encounter.

Far from it. Hyland's work-outs are of the "professional" kind and there is not a thing about him that smacks of the amateur.

Possessed of sturdy legs that would be a credit to a lightweight, having shoulders big for a little man, and of a sturdy build throughout, "Fighting Dick" goes about his training duties like a person who has seen many a professional campaign.

CAN HIT HARD.

And this young semi-professional can hit, too, for yesterday he was feeling in fine form, and just to show how good he was, Harry McCloud fastened on a cork and stomach protector and let Hyland cut out at him.

Richard indulged in a fearful double-handed attack and even the cork protector didn't prevent Harry from feeling the force of the blows on his short ribs.

From now on Hyland's work will be cut down. He will not punish the bag as much as he has been doing and the road work will not consume so much of his time.

Boxing, too, will be cut down.

NEAR WEIGHT.

This morning Hyland weighed 123 1/2 pounds, just a pound and a half over the weight required. He can easily get rid of this and will probably enter the ring weighing 121 1/2.

NEIL AT WORK.

Frankie Neil is not overlooking anything in his training and will be as fit as it is possible to be when the gong sounds next Tuesday evening. He realizes that the coming affair is to be a "punch-as-you-can" battle and he is preparing himself to receive some awful whacks in the ribs and face.

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BERKELEY

SUBURBAN NEWS

UNIVERSITY

FRESHMEN EXCUSED.

Change in Military Instruction at State University.

BERKELEY, Jan. 24.—On account of an unequal number of companies in the two regiments, Captain Nance has issued the following order transferring two companies from the Second Regiment to the First. There are also some battalion assignments that make the organization more compact.

The orders are as follows:

Orders No. 2:

Companies I and K Second Regiment, are transferred to the First Regiment, and are designated as Companies G and H respectively, First Regiment.

2.—The existing assignment of companies, detachments and band to battalions is revoked. Hereafter, in each regiment, Companies A, B and D will constitute the First Battalions, and Companies E, F, G and H, the Second Battalion of the regiment. The Third Battalions of the Regiments will not be organized.

The band is assigned to the First Regiment (but not assigned to a battalion); its record of attendance at drills will be kept with that of the Field and Staff of the Regiment.

The Artillery Detachment and Signal Detachment are not assigned to a regiment.

3.—The new cadets (Intransit January 1, 1905) are assigned to Company F First Regiment.

J. T. NANCE, Commandant."

In addition to these changes there will be several transfers, appointments and promotions, which will be announced in a few days.

FALSE STATEMENTS.

NACOGOCHES, Texas, Jan. 24.—Investigation here develops the fact that the indictments against C. L. Taylor of Chicago and Miss Webb (now Mrs. Duke) were returned because of the alleged falsity of statements which they made in an instrument upon the strength of which a stockholder in one of the national banks here was induced to endorse their notes for \$20,000 which were cashed in Dallas, Texas, and Shreveport, Louisiana.

CONTRACTORS CART AWAY PARTS OF STREETS.

West Berkeley Citizens Seek Relief From Depredations of Private Persons.

BERKELEY, Jan. 24.—The West Berkeley Improvement Club sent to the Town Trustees last night a protest against contractors carting away the roadbed of Gilman street west of Thirteenth street. Trustee Hoff said contractors are in the habit of taking away dirt from streets in his neighborhood as they like. The street is not really opened. Condemnation proceedings were ordered instituted at once. Trustee Hoff stated that several streets in West Berkeley, running to the water front, are also Gilman street with little in dispute. It was decided to investigate the matter and take action at the next meeting.

NO FREE LICENSES.

The free license feature of the license law will be retained by the courts holding that the free license clause violates the entire ordinance.

The board accepted an invitation to attend, in a body, the opening of the Carnegie Library next Wednesday night.

An urgent motion was passed to re-establish the grade of Webster street between College avenue and Claremont avenue.

ORDINANCES ADOPTED.

A resolution of intention to change or re-establish the grades on Arch street from the southern line of Virginia street to the northerly line of Hewitt avenue was adopted.

Resolutions ordering the work done were adopted as follows:

No. \$45—To grade, macadamize, etc., Hewitt avenue between Gross and Louis streets.

No. \$44—To grade and macadamize Sixth street between Virginia and Cedar streets.

No. \$43—To open and widen Webster street between Telegraph avenue and the Fairview tract, and appointing Commissioners thereof to open and widen Webster street between Telegraph and the Fairview tract.

No. \$42—To grade, macadamize, etc., Franklin street between Franklin and Harrison streets.

No. \$41—To grade, macadamize, etc., Harrison street between Franklin and Harrison streets.

No. \$40—To grade, macadamize, etc., Harrison street between Franklin and Harrison streets.

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No. \$38—To open and widen Webster street between Telegraph and the Fairview tract.

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SCHOOL BOARD IN SESSION.

Charges Against Prof. J. P. Garlick Not Sustained.

The Board of Education held an adjourned meeting last night for the purpose of receiving bids for the construction of the foundation of the new building for the Franklin school. Sixteen bids were received as follows the advertisement calling for the submission of bids specifying either brick or concrete foundation.

M. Carroll, brick, \$3,800.

J. C. Estey, concrete, \$5,736.

Geo. Gibben, for Artificial stone company, concrete, \$5,142.

Hillhouse & Reardon, concrete, \$4,500.50.

Guilding Hirsch Co., concrete, \$5,700.

McPhee Co., brick, \$5,932; concrete, \$4,662.

Contra Costa Construction Co., concrete, \$5,290.

Childs & Arlett, brick, \$3,600.

F. H. Barnes, brick, \$5,800; concrete, \$4,797.

Victor Nauquist, concrete, \$4,875.

C. F. Lund, concrete, \$5,802.

O. E. Brown, concrete, \$4,450.

Charles E. Bates, Jr., for Piedmont Paving Co., concrete, \$5,220.

Blake & Blige Co., concrete, \$5,750.

E. B. and A. L. Stone Co., concrete, \$5,384.

P. J. Walker, brick, \$3,684.

A motion was carried that the bids be referred to the committee on school houses and sites, and later the like motion, another motion was carried that all of the certified checks accompanying the bids, except the two lowest on brick and the two lowest on concrete be returned to the bidders, which will confine the work of making the award of contract to four of the sixteen bids.

Ben. O. Johnson, representing the Master Builders' Association, was present, and upon being granted permission to speak said:

"I was requested at the last meeting of our Association to ask this Board to hire its own Inspector of school buildings to be erected, and not to permit the architect to select the person to superintend such work. I understand the Inspector is to be paid by the Board, and the Board should certainly make the appointment. If the inspector should be inclined to show any favors, he would naturally favor the architect who appointed him."

Arthur Arlett, representing the Board of Directors of the Builders' Exchange, said he considered that it would be fair all around that the inspector should be appointed by the Board of Education, reiterating the reasons given by Mr. Johnson.

Director Clift made a motion that in the future all contracts should be let with the understanding that the Inspector should be appointed by the

WILL APPEAL CASE.

Notice of an appeal to the Supreme Court in the case of Mary W. Kennedy, who has twice tried to get a verdict for damages against the Oakland Tract Consolidated for \$25,000, has been filed with the County Clerk. She was knocked off a load of hay by an electric car near the Eighth street bridge and sustained injuries that necessitated the amputation of her leg. Suit was brought in her behalf by her guardian and after she reached her majority she brought a suit in her own behalf and in both cases non-suits were granted on the ground that it was through her own negligence and carelessness that she was injured.

Dr. Wiley does not attempt to explain how so many of us have managed to live thus long in the face of all these adulterations.—Washington Star.

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of the suffering and danger in store for her, robs the expectant mother of all pleasant anticipations of the coming event, and casts over her a shadow of gloom which cannot be shaken off. Thousands of women have found that the use of Mother's Friend during pregnancy relieves confinement of all pain and danger, and insures safety to life of mother and child. This scientific liniment is a god-send to all women at the time of their most critical trial. Not only does Mother's Friend carry women safely through the perils of child-birth, but it uses gently prepares the system for the coming event, prevents "morning sickness," and other discomforts of this period. Sold by all druggists at \$1.00 per bottle. Book containing valuable information free. The Bradfield Bookstore Co., Atlanta, Ga.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

TALKS ON EVOLUTION.

Christian Professor Does Not Hesitate to Speak Plainly.

BERKELEY, Jan. 25.—With impressive ceremonies and addresses notable for their strength and tribute to modern thought, three new professors of the Pacific Theological seminary were inducted into office tonight at the First Congregational Church. The three professors are W. F. Bade, John Wright Buckham, and T. Cowden Laughton.

The induction ceremonies were performed by President J. K. McLean, of the church. Addresses of greeting were delivered by representative men of the church. The audience room was crowded with members of the denomination represented by the professors and their friends.

The inaugural address of Professor John Wright Buckham, had for its subject, "An Estimate of Evolution Theology," as set forth by Joseph Le Conte. There was indication of unusual interest in the audience of professors, ministers and church devotees when Professor Buckham delivered himself of his address on "Theology."

Professor W. F. Bade in his inaugural address spoke of Old Testament scholarship in Modern Bible Teaching," while Professor Laughton's topic was "The Pastoral Epistles in the Light of Roman Imperialism."

Those taking part in the program were President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the State University; Hiram Van Kirk, dean of the Berkeley Bible Seminary; President John S. Macintosh of the San Francisco Theological Seminary; Charles S. Nash, Dr. George C. Adams, Rev. B. M. Palmer, Rev. W. H. Hopkins.

On the three professors inaugurated great things are predicted by the theological authorities. Professor Bade is possessed of extraordinary scholarship. Professor Buckham has been Instructor in Biblical Literature at Princeton. Dr. Buckham was pastor of a leading Congregational Church at Salem, Mass. for twelve years, his achievements being considered notable.

SOPHOMORE CLASS SOCIETY BANQUET

BERKELEY, Jan. 24.—The members of the Sophomore Debating Society will hold a banquet in San Francisco next Saturday evening, January 28th, at the St. Germain, O'Farrel street, near Market. This was planned for last term, but had to be deferred. The '07 debaters have censed to meet as a regular debating society, but continue to hold occasional reunions in a social way.

Dr. Buckham was pastor of a leading Congregational Church at Salem, Mass. for twelve years, his achievements being considered notable.

STEAMER TO ARRIVE.

The steam schooner Cascade is expected to arrive about Saturday with a cargo of railroad ties for Richmond.

PERSONAL MENTION.

H. S. Bachman was a recent visitor.

Mrs. H. A. Johnston, who has been quite ill, is now said to be improving.

Mrs. Marie Burrows left Monday for Clarkton, Washington.

C. E. Terry of San Francisco was a recent visitor to Richmond. He came over to take a look at his property interests on Bissell Avenue.

MOVEMENTS OF BERKELEY FOLK

BERKELEY, Jan. 24.—Miss E. M. Mervin and James Wilmet, a young business man of San Francisco, were married here last Saturday.

M. C. Hatch is visiting at the University. He is in the Inspector's department of the Southern Pacific at Sacramento.

Professor Wickson and Mr. Clark returned Sunday from Mills, Fresno County, where they have been holding a successful Farmers' Institute.

George R. Harvey, is manager of one of the largest sugar plantations in Oahu Island. For a year and a half Harvey taught in the Philippines.

Dr. Minor was the speaker at the physics department meeting held Friday. His subject was "Some Recent Work on Surface Phenomena of Metals."

Professor and Mrs. Fowler, together with B. E. Hutchinson of Fowler, a Farmers' Institute, at Morgan Hill, Friday and another at San Jose Saturday.

Mrs. A. M. Mordecai of Cleveland, O., is the guest of her brother, B. F. Bowman, and family at 1810 Oxford street,

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TUESDAY.....JANUARY 24, 1905.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. KOTTER, chairwoman, palmist, card reader, from 25c up. Mrs. Franklin st.

A \$1000 reward for a case of acne rosacea, falling hair, plumpness, blackheads, moths, patches, moles, superfluous hair, freckles, acne, scabs, etc., etc. I undertake to remove and tell, consultation free. Dr. W. C. Schley, Dermatologist, 229 Powell st., San Francisco.

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LOST—Thursday morning, black leather bag containing spectacles, letters and other articles. Reward by returning to 558 Clay st.

LOST—Tuesday, sky terrier; had collar with San Francisco license; answers to name Monte; \$5. reward. Return to 3314 West st.

IF the white-painted boat, 18 feet long, with green bottom, stolen from foot of Alice st., Friday, is returned, a reward will be given and no questions asked. Mr. J. J. Perry.

\$50 REWARD—Lost—23rd ave., East Oakland and 12th and Broadway. Sunday evening, Jan. 22. A diamond stud set in stones. The above reward will be paid and no questions asked by returning to James Miller, Oakland Art Gallery, East Oakland.

LOST—Search containing pair of gold-pinned glasses, on Webster st., local Saturday; reward, 115 6th st.

LOST—On St. st., bet Alice and Jackson, lady's watch; reward. Return to 180 8th st.

LOST—Small white poodle dog, female. Suitable reward. Mrs. J. E. Flint, 1172 8th and Magnolia sts.

FOUND—Dec. 24, 1904, Judy's Macumba p.m. with monogram, "I. O. T. M." Finder can have same by identifying the property and paying for the above advertisement. Call Tribune Office.

LOST—Near 11th and Washington st., a ribbon belt, with metal clasps; reward at Merchants' Express, 1017 Clay st.

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[Special to THE TRIBUNE.]
SACRAMENTO, Jan. 24.—The Pacific Athletic Association sent to Senator Ralston, today, a warm set of resolutions looking to the knocking out of the glove contests that have been held for years in this state and, in a special manner, in San Francisco.

The protest set forth that the so-called Amateur Boxing Clubs are run on purely a professional plan. It was impossible to conduct an Amateur Athletic Association under the supervision of the Supervisors of the big city across the bay. The Pacific Association of the Amateur Athletic Union was heartily in favor of the bill in question.

Members of the so-called Amateur Boxing Clubs, frequentees of the prize-ring and members of athletic organizations, at least 20 in number, have been invited to attend the meeting of the committee when the bill will be under consideration.

YARDS OF PETITION.

A feature of the consideration of the bill for the recession of Yosemite Valley to the General Government today was what appeared at a distance, to be an old-fashioned grindstone but which, on closer examination, proved to be a reel of light canvas on which was pasted printed petitions protesting against the proposed recession. Each of these petitions contained the signatures of about 30 people, the total number of signatures being 62,890, the length of the canvas strip being over two miles. A large stretch of the canvas was unrolled but the unreeling of the whole of the great circular mass was disposed with, the Senators expressing a willingness to believe that the roll contained all the names credited to it.

JUSTICES HELP SEXTON.

John E. Sexton is at length at liberty. He formerly resided in Oakland. Nearly two years ago he was convicted in El Dorado county of the charge of extortion. It is alleged that he impersonated a revenue officer and collected a certain sum from a cigar dealer whom he charged with having sold cigars in violation of the revenue law. Sexton took his case to the Supreme Court and that tribunal in passing upon the alleged offense, declared that the sentence of two years in the penitentiary was excessive for the reason that Sexton, at most, should have been found guilty of misdemeanor only. It was this unusual act on the part of the Supreme Court which induced Governor Pardoe, to commute the sentence although Sexton's term of imprisonment had only a few more months to run.

MILITIA ON NEW BASIS.

After many months of consideration of how to reduce the top-heavy condition of the State Militia, the Governor has decided to dispense with division headquarters, and the Major-Generalship which has been held by General Dickinson and also one brigadier-generalship with staffs and a numerous list of attaches. There will hereafter be only two brigades, one of which will be located in the northern and the other in the southern part of the state. There are still three brigadiers in the service, namely, Von Kossaki, Warfield and Muller. It is not known which of these three will retire when the new order of things goes into effect. The militia of the state now comprises five regiments of Infantry, one battalion of heavy artillery and four troops of cavalry besides a signal corps detachment. The new organization will be on a practical basis and the expense will be greatly reduced.

JUDGE HALL ON PROBATION COURT.

Senator Simpson has sent out queries to Judges of Alameda county as to what they think of the bills now before the Legislature on the subject of probation courts both for juveniles and adults. Since the creation of the court,

DICKINSON AND HIS BRIGADIERS MUST BRING VOUCHERS.

Senators Refuse to Allow Bill For \$6,000 Until Militia Leaders Show How it Was Spent.

[Special to THE TRIBUNE.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 24.—Major-General Dickinson and Brigadier-Generals Von Kossaki, Warfield and Muller will have to produce vouchers of expenditures amounting to \$6,000 before the Senate Committee will report favorably upon a measure involving an appropriation for that sum, in reimbursement of the militia commanders mentioned in maintaining division and three brigade headquarters during the past two years.

That was the conclusion arrived at today by the Senate Finance Committee when the bill which came up for consideration was explained by Senator Simpson, who is himself a devoted member of the National Guard.

Two years ago, an attempt was made to legislate the offices in question out of existence. This was not accomplished, at the same time however, no appropriation for the headquarters in question was made.

Despite this fact, Generals Dickinson, Warfield, Von Kossaki and Muller, kept open their headquarters, deeming themselves still members of the National Guard for the reason that they had not formally been legislated out of the service.

The bill did not seem to meet with favor of the committee from the outset, because there was nothing with it to show what the money had been spent for.

SENATORS WANT FACTS.
"Why is this money asked for?" inquired Senator Leavitt.

"Because," said Senator Simpson, "the last Legislature did not make allowance for the brigadier-generals or General Dickinson."

"Well, that put them out of business, didn't it?" inquired Leavitt.

"I don't think it did. They went along and kept their headquarters open the same as before. But, if you want the general I'll have him come up here," said Simpson.

"If you do," said Leavitt, "you'd better tell him to bring along his vouchers."

"How was an expense of \$6,000 incurred?" asked Senator Rowell.

"Payng office rent, printing orders, expense of officers on detail and inspection and in various other ways," explained Simpson.

"Do you know where General Dickinson's office is?" queried Senator Leavitt.

"In the Mills building, San Francisco," answered Simpson.

"That's his law office isn't it?"

"Yes."

"Well, does he want the State to pay the rent of his law office?"

"He has another room adjoining which is division headquarters."

"I think," broke in Senator Belshaw, who is chairman of the committee, "that General Dickinson or somebody should show how this money has been expended."

It was then agreed that the generals in question should give an account of the personal expenditures for which the bill sought to have them reimbursed.

owner of the structure up to a strict compliance with the requirements of the agreement. When the work has been completed and the contract has been satisfied, these documents are of no value to anybody. They have been, however, allowed to accumulate in the office of Recorders where they take up valuable space and, at the same time have special receptacles provided for their accommodation. If the Mattos bill, which has just passed the Senate shall go through the House, the Recorder will be permitted to destroy these instruments and use the space they occupy for other documents.

The other Mattos bill provides that when an estate has been ordered distributed and the whereabouts of some of the beneficiaries is unknown, the part distributed is to be placed in charge of the County Treasurer to be held until ordered distributed by the Superior Court.

FAVORS SMALL BANKS.
The Senate today set at naught a communication from the State Bankers' Association in which it expressed its opposition to a bill by Senator Woodward, enabling banks in small towns to be established with a capital ranging from \$10,000 upwards. The bill, the Bankers' Association considered bad legislation and the latter urged Senator Ralston, the recipient of the letter, to do all in his power to defeat it.

By way of reply, Senator Woodward asked Senator Ralston how much capital the Elbernia Bank of San Francisco had. Senator Ralston said he could not answer the question.

"Well," continued Senator Woodward, "it hasn't got a dollar of capital stock, though two millions of reserve. I think a bank in one of those small towns is just as capable of taking care of its depositors as a bank of San Francisco with a capital of one million dollars and deposits of a hundred million."

The establishment of small banks was allowed by a vote of 30 to 1. Senator Ralston alone voting in the affirmative.

WALSH, PATRON OF FORESTRY.

Assemblyman Walsh has introduced a bill in the House which proposes to establish a school of Forestry at the University of California, and for which purpose an appropriation of \$25,000 is asked. Of this sum, \$10,000 is to be paid to the Treasurer of the University on the first of July of the present year and the remaining \$15,000 becomes payable on the same date of 1906. The special patron of this measure is the California Club of San Francisco. Mr. Walsh has been informed that a corps of the lady members of the club will be on hand to advance the bill in both Houses.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY'S DEMAND.

The State Agricultural Society has, at last, shown its hand in a couple of bills which have been introduced in the House and which jointly call for an appropriation of \$205,950. Of this amount, \$25,000 will be applied to the payment of old debts and the remainder will go into the laying out of a new race track and the construction of buildings and stalls for exhibition and racing stock. This is a much larger sum than the committee of Senators which has investigated the manner in which the old management of the Society got into debt in the sum of \$85,000. The appropriation asked for will not be granted without a fight and a demand that some of the money required for rehabilitating the society in its grounds be put up by Sacramento county.

AID RECORDER GRIM.

One of the bills of which Senator Mattos has secured the passage was framed at the instance of Recorder Grim of Oakland. The present law enables persons who are having work done by contractors such as building houses etc., to have those contracts together with plans and specifications filed of record so as to keep the contractor and vice versa, the proposed

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